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Burke Collins.

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Atthough hirs, Cothins' writing has always been a labor of love, yet such incessant mental exertion could not fall to have its effect on her servous

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The Latest Interview With Mrs. E. The Impression in Regard to the Loss of the Hawkins.

tion. Relligerent recognition is a mere declaration of impartiality. To withhold from the claimant for recognition the rights of belligerency, while we extend them to the Mr. Sherman's Resolution of 1870 More Applicable Now. parent state, would be plainly to take part in the war.'
"The resolution which Mr. Sherman of-

WHAT BELLIGERENCY IS

The Cuban question was the chief matter of interest at the Capitol today. The foreign relations committee, in reporting a resolution on the subject to the Senate, disappointed general expectation by the mildness and incompleteness of the resolution. Those who have been interested in the question do not think that anything can be accomplished by the mere exercise of good offices to induce Spain to recognize the belligerency of the Cubans. The minority report submitted by Mr. Cameron, which wants the President to exercise his good offices to induce Spain to recognize the independence of Cuba, is criticised from the same point of view, that it requests something from Spain that she is not disposed to grant, and does not contemplate that recognition of belligerents by this country, which is sought.

The Case of Hawkins. The discussion of these resolutions and of the sinking of the vessel Hawkins is

very general. A common theory is that if the Hawkins was really a Cuban vessel she was probatly sunk by some Spanish sympathizer on board. Another theory advanced is that the sinking of the Hawkins may have been a device of the Cubans themselves to cover some other move. The Cuban representaives here deny any knowledge of the Hawtives here deny any knowledge of the Haw-kins and do not show any excitement or anxiety on account of its loss.

This Incident is liable to hasten the bring-ing before Congress of this Cuban ques-

tion in another form. There is a disposition among certain pro-Cuban men in Con gress to attack the course of the administration in the prosecution of filibusterers. It is expected that the question will come before Congress in the form of a resolution declaring that the rules of neutrality do not warrant the interference with the car to a foreign country in a state of war. During the former Cuban revolution Mr. Sherman, now chairman of the foreign relations committee, took much more vanced grounds than that taken by his committee now. Mr. Sherman's Former Resolution.

On February 11, 1870, he introduced the following resolution: "Whereas the United the school was known simply as the Alex-andria Colored Industrial School, but re-cently it has been named in honor of John States observe with deep interest the civil war now existing in Cuba and sympathize with the people of all American nations or colonies in their efforts to secure independence of European power; therefore, be it resolved. That the United States recog-nize the existence of a state of war be-tween the kingdom of Spain and the colony of Cuba, waged on the part of Cuba to es tablish its independence, and the United States will observe strict neutrality be-tween the belligerent parties as is their duty under the law of nations."

will serve as local treasurer to receive funds for the school. In introducing the resolution, he asked that the committee on foreign relations "at least give us the benefit of fair play between the colony of Cuba and the king-dom of Spain." In answer to the suggestion of the necessity of investigating the facts in the case before taking action, he said that "the simple fact that the power of Spain is building in our own ports thirty gunboats which can only be used in putting down the rebellion in Cuba is a sufficient fact of itself without going into follos of documents or a great lot of testimony."

What Mr. Rubens Says. A Star reporter called the attention of tans at Washington, to this matter today

and asked what difference there might be in the situation in '70, when Mr. Sherman introduced the resolution, and at the pres ent time. "The revolution at that time," said Mr. Rubens, "was much weaker than the present revolution, and was confined to the

easterly provinces. The resolution which was then considered proper is warranted now by a stronger set of circumstances in favor of the recognition of the belliger-He added further it must be noticed that

He added further it must be noticed that in 1870 there was no suggestion that it was becessary to the recognition of beligerents that they should have a port or a capital seat of government, but that the simple state of civil war, which was known to exist, should be recognized.

This, he said, had never been insisted on. "Earl Russell," he said, "in upholding granting beligerent rights to the southern

granting belligerent rights to the southern confederacy by England, relied, like Mr. Sherman, on the preparations of the north to overcome the rebellion as sufficient evi-dence of the belligerency of the southern states. In this country we have precedents of granting belligerent rights to Texas and of granting belligerent rights to Texas and South American colonies, in which the same position, substantially, is taken. After the recognition of the belligerency of Texas, Mr. Forsyth, then Secretary of State, in a letter dated September 20, 1836, to Mr. Gorostiza, says: 'It is a well-known fact that vessels of the South American provinces were admitted into the ports of the United States under their own or any other flag, from the commencement of the revolution, and it is equally true that throughlution, and it is equally true that throughout the various civil contests that have taken place at different periods among the states that sprung from that revolution, the vessels of each of the contending parties have been alike permitted to enter the ports of this country. It has never been necessary as a preliminary to the extension of the rights of hospitality to either, that the chances of the war should be balanced and the probability of eventual success determined. For this purpose it has been deemed sufficient that the party had declared its independence, and at the time was actually maintaining it. Such having been the course hitherto pursued by this government, however important it may be to consider the probability of success, if a question should arise as to the recognition of the independence of Texas, it is not to be expected that it should be made not to be expected that it should be made a prerequisite to the mere exercise of hospitality implied by the admission of the vessels of that country into our ports. The declaration of neutrality by the President in regard to the existing contest between Mexico and Texas is not intended to be confined to the limits of that province, or of "the theater of war" within which it was hardly to be presumed that any collision would occur or any question on the subject arise, but it was designed to extend everyarise, but it was designed to extend every-where and include as well the United States and their ports as the territories of the conflicting parties. The exclusion of the vessels of Texas, while those of Mexico are admitted, is not deemed compatible with the strict neutrality which it is the desire and the determination of this government to observe.'

Mr. Adams' Position.

"Mr. Adams, in a note to Mr. Rush in 1819, as to the acknowledgment of the belligerency of the Spanish colonies, concerning their condition before the acknowledgment of belligerency, said: 'But while this state of things continues an entire equality of treatment of the parties is not possible. There are circumstances arising from the nature of the contest itself which pro-duce unavoidable inequalities. Spain, for instance, is an acknowledged sovereign power, and, as such, has ministers and other accredited and privileged agents to maintain her interests and support her rights conformably to the usage of nations. The South Americans, not being acknowledged as sovereign and independent states, cannot have the benefit of such officers. We consider it, however, as among the obligations of neutrality to obviate this inobligations of neutrality to obviate this inequality, as far as may be practicable, without taking a side, as if the question of the war were decided. We listen, therefore, to the representations of their deputies or agents, and do them justice as much as if the question of the representations of their deputies or agents, and do them justice as much as if the year formally accredited. By acknowledging the existence of a civil war, the right of Spain, rs understood by herself, is no doubt affected. She is no longer recognized as the sovereign of the provinces in revolution against her. Thus far neutrality itself operates against her, and not against the other party. This also is an inequality arising from the nature of

the struggle unavoidable, and, therefore, TILLMAN'S SPEECH The Precedents to This Country.

"It will be seen," said Mr. Rubens, "from hese references and other authorities or

the subject, that the precedents in this country are in accord with those interna-

tional law writers who claim that beiliger-

by that lesser revolution, and the authori-

the requirements of neutrality even at that

TO MEET ELSEWHERE.

Place for the Next Woman Suffrage

At the meeting of the executive commit

tee of the Woman's Suffrage Association

this morning, which was held in the

parlors of the Arno, there was a large at-

business was the question of the place for

number of cities were received, among them St. Louis, Charleston, S. C., Denver

and Portland, Ore. The constitution of the association says that every alternate meet-

ting of the association may be held in some

mandatory on the subject. Consequently Miss Anthony and some of the other suf-frage leaders were in favor of holding the

next convention in this city as the center of influence of the United States, lest the

impetus which the cause has received from

the convention just closed might be lost. It was finally decided by vote, however, that the next meeting should be held in some other city. Then a motion was made

that a mid-year conference should be held here next winter during the session of Con-

gress when some of the best speakers in

the association should be brought on to hold a one or two-day open meeting. This

motion was lost, as the committee thought that Washington is the hardest city in

the country to influence that way and that such a conference would only interfere with the complete success of the regular

meeting. The question of selecting the place of meeting for the twenty-ninth an-

nual convention was left to the committee

to decide in the near future by a letter

vote, when all the invitations are in and

the inducements offered by the different

The John Hay Industrial School.

interesting themselves in industrial educa-

school was established under very discour-

aging prospects. The managers, however,

have persevered, and feel confident that

their labors will be not in vain. At first

is taxed to its utmost capacity for room. The trustees have planned for a building of

their own as soon as available funds can

be had. The school has received the in-dorsements of City Superintendent of

Schools Kemper, ex-Mayor Strauss and others. Mr. Rutherford Lyon of this city

Died Suddenly.

Mr. Holland's Assailant.

Misery in Newfoundland.

feared that they will not remain passive much longer. A pelition for work is being

An Artery Severed.

Horse Perished in the Flames.

Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock an alarm of fire was turned in for fire in John

Becker's stable, in rear of No. 630 11th

street northeast, where a horse perished in

the flames. The loss is estimated at \$250, on which Mr. Becker held no insurance.

New Wood for Lend Pencils.

A car load of redwood to be used in mak-

ing lead pencils was shipped the other day

from Sanger, Cal., for Nuremberg, Ger-

many. Some time ago experts from Germany investigated the resources of the Pacific coast in an effort to find a substitute for cedar, the forests of Europe, from which the supply of that wood for lead pencils has hitherto been obtained, having become expansed.

From the Petaluma (Cal.) Argus.

pital for treatment.

pencils has hithert become exhausted.

From the Chicago Record.

Policeman O'Dea has arrested the colored

Today about noon a colored man ramed

The colored people of Alexandria, Va., are

In November, 1894, an industrial

citles are fully understood.

city than Washington, but is not

the next convention. Invitations from a

(Continued from First Page.) appointments only of those whose sponsors would surrender their manhood, and, with bated breath, walk with submissive head in his presence. With relentless purpose he has ignored his oath of office to uphold ency is neutrality or impartiality, and nothing more. Lorimer states the proposi-tion thus: 'By recognizing belligerent rights neutral powers pronounce no judgment whatever, either on the merits of the claim or the probability of its ultimate vindicahe has ignored his oath of omce to uphold and obey the law, and has paid out gold instead of coin and issued bonds to buy more gold, by both actions overriding the law, and giving no heed to the interests of any but moneyed friends—I might say the corners or partners."

of any but moneyed friends—I might say his owners or partners."

"While to this besotted tyrant coin has come to mean gold alone, he cannot by his mere 'ipse dixit' changethe law of this land and pervert the plath meaning of the English language. His rejublican partners in crime, who set the unrighteous and unlawful example which he has so persistently followed, and encouraged him in it to the unmost extent, cannot escape the condemnation of the honest, working, business fered in 1870," said Mr. Rubers, "is much more strongly warranted now than it was demnation of the honest, working, business men of the country as equal partners in his

The Repeal of the Sherman Law.

The repeal of the Sherman law, it was as erted, which was the first point of attack of this "unholy alliance," was only accomplished through the aid and in conjunction with a majority of the republican Senators "This democratic President accomplished what was not possible for any republican executive under the circumstances to have tendance. The most important item of

brought about. A change of the party in power had left a large number of offices in his gift with which to buy votes."

In discussing the "honest meaning" of parity of gold and silver in the Sherman

"The object was to have them assist each other, to hold silver up by hobling gold down, and an honest Secretary of the Treasury, who should have resigned his office rather than submit to the dictation of a besotted chief, would have paid out silver to protect the treasury from the gold form a besotted chief, would have paid out silver to protect the treasury from the gold gamblers and bond gamblers, as the law and his oath of office required. But, alas! the old breed of southern statesmen like Calhoun, who, after a life spent in the public service, had to be buried at public expense and his debts paid by the State of South Carolina, is no more. No wonder the Senator from Massachusetts feels magnetal in ator from Massachusetts feels warranted in twitting us with the decay of southern statesmanship and charging us with dis-honesty. He charges it, however, in au-other connection and as aiding an abetting this Judas from Kentucky, who, after a brilliant career of twenty years and more as leader and champion of the silver forces, has, in his old age, come to this pitiful pass. And then to think that the indictment thus brought against a whole section should have so much color of truth and of fact to back it up in the apostasy from their principles of the two other Secretaries from the south of a President who has so

disgraced the name of democracy.

"The south bows its head in shame at this exhibition of moral cowardice and despises the renegades; but I must remind the Senator from Massachusetts that there is as yet only moral turpitude and treach ery to be charged against these men. The southern Congressmen and Senators who came here poor are still poor. They have not become millionaires, like some of their northern brethren; and there is no Credit Mobilier steal, or Colfax scandal, or Belknap bribery chargeable to any southern man. Let him remember these things and Hay, the author of the Life of Abraham Lincoln. The school is temporarily located at 803 Madison street, in a small, rented building. It has enrolled fifty scholars, and keep back his sneers and taunts. The Senator contended that if there has been one idea more persistently and prominently presented to the American people by President Cleveland than any other it had been the iniquities of the tariff and the

had been the iniquities of the tariff and the demand for its revision. In season and out of season, with "daffinable iteration," he had sung this siren sone in the ears of the farmers. In this connection he quoted from messages of the President of 1887 and 1888 and said he did it for "the purpose of pointing out the evolution of a tyrant and of showing the transition from a conscientious, law-abiding chief magistrate to an arrogant and obstinate ruler, who ignores the law and issues bonds at will, and issues them under a statute that is subject to lived near 4½ and L streets southwest, and who was employed at Sheriff's wood yard on Pennsylvania avenue, was taken ill with a hemorrhage while at work. He died in the sixth precinct patrol wayon while being taken to the hospital. His body was then removed to the morgue. Coroner Hammett deemed an inquest unnecessary, and gave a certificate of death from natural causes.

them under a statute that is 'subject to the suspicion that it was intended to be temporary and limited' in its application instead of conferring a discretionary authority.' He not only issues them, but does it secretly, with his law partner as a witness to the contract, and has created the suspicion in the minds of millions of his countrymen that a President of the United States can use his high office for private gain.

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"He differs with the republican party only in the one particular of the tariff, and on that he has blown hot and cold, as his pet hobby, and will go down in history as the most gigantic failure of any man who ever occupied the White House, all because of his vanity and obstinacy."

man Albert Colbert, who, it is charged, assaulted Mr. Milton F. Holland of 411 1st What the President Should Have Done street northeast several weeks ago by striking him on the head with a spade. Mr. Hol-"To make good this charge," Mr. Tillland, as printed in The Star at the time. man argued that when President Clevewas in a dangerous condition for several days, and although able to be about now he has not fully recovered. Today Colbert was taken to the Police Court and charged land came to power, in March, 1893, and government, will not some day have a could have called the Senate and House (both democratic) for the first time since the war to carry his policy into effect, he with assault with intent to kill. He was committed for a further hearing. did not call an extra session to give tariff reform to the people, but instead called Congress together to stop the coinage of silver. He, the President, "had waited un-The abject misery of the people of Newtil the 'object lesson' the panic manufac foundland cannot be expressed. Hundreds are starving and without fuel, while sehad swept like a cyclone over the country vere snow storms are raging. The authorities appear to be powerless to afford relief. The unemployed are quiet, but it is prostrating all business enterprises and in-dustries, and the newspapers had howled in chorus in the ears of the people that the coinage of silver was the cause of the

monetary crisis.' Discussing the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law which followed,

numerously signed. It is reported that the governor is preparing a scheme which will provide employment within the next week. "Democrats and republicans vied with each other in the furtherance of the policy which had been formulated and steadily pursued by the Senator from Ohio, and he Joseph Brown, colored, twenty - three years old, was arrested last night between has the proud satisfaction of knowing that he has brought the party which he so hates to its knees, and has lived to see many of 10 and 11 o'clock and sent to the second police precinct. When the station was reached it was found that an artery above the prisoner's right eye had been severed, and he was so weak from loss of blood that he had to be sent to Freedman's Hoshis old antagonists enlisted under his ban-rer of monopoly and class privileges. They sit at his feet and acknowledge his lead-

"When the Senate met there was an acknowledged majority of men open and out-spoken in their determination to stand by the white metal, and who were elected on the white metal, and who were elected on that issue. But the process of debauchery began. 'Vote according to my will or you will have no offices.' 'Vote according to my will and if your people do not like it I will take care of you.' The newspapers raved and abused the Senate. Bankers telegraphed and wrote Chambers of commerce passed resolutions, and slowly the Senate yielded. In ninety days, the deed was done, and the chains were riveted on the wrists of the toiling millions. Did the raid on the treasury stop?" raid on the treasury stop?"

Discussing then the tariff bill which passed in the regular session following, he

'It is true he did not sign it, and allowed "It is true he did not sign it, and allowed it to become a law without approval. But here again we have a spectacle of charlatanry and hypocritical assumption of superiority to his party which has always marked his career. The tariff law which he repudiated as unworthy, involving 'party

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perfidy and party dishonor, is the sheet anchor to which he clings." And again referring to the President:

"If he was honest at the start (and I am willing to grant that much) his association with Wall street and his connections with wealthy men had debauched his conscience and destroyed all sympathy with the masses."
The Senator then referred to the fall in

the prices of all farm products. The im-poverishment of the farmers had destroyed, he said, their ability to purchase on the one hand, while the decreased prices of their products of export in European mar-kets had left our debts for imports and interest on obligations abroad unpaid. Hence the export of gold to meet these obligations. In this connection he said in

"Rothschild and his American agents graciously condescend to come to the help of the United States treasury in maintaining the gold standard which has wrought the ruin, and only charges a small commission of ten millions or so. Great God! That this proud government, the richest, most powerful on the globe, should have been brought to so low a post that a London Jew should have been appointed its rece'ver, and presumes to patronize us.

Responsibility Usurped.

"The responsibility of providing revenue and looking after the solvency of the treasury, which rests with Congress, has been usurped by the President. Why is he not impeached? Because he is carrying out republican policies, and the majority in the House of Representatives feel safe and believe that they are certain to elect the next President and obtain control of the government. They are willing to load down say the incompetent and dishonest democracy) with the odium of the misgov-ernment, to lend their help by acquiescence in wrong doing. The policy is to do nothing-to preserve a masterly inactivity, and only obstruct where relief could be given.
"The encroachments of the federal judiciary, and the supineness and venalitycorruption, I may say-of the representa-tive branches of the government, are causes of deep concern to all thinking and pa-triotic men. We are fast drifting into gov-

ernment by injunction in the interest of monopolies and corporations, and the Supreme Court, by one corrupt vote, annuls an act of Congress looking to the taxation of the rich." "The struggle from 1861 to 1865, which drenched this fair land in blood, was to emancipate four million black slaves. We are fast approaching a condition which will place the collar of industrial bondage around the necks of ten times that many white slaves. I would not predict revolution or war if I did not feel that relief must come, either by the ballot, or that an effort will be made in a few years to obtain it by bollets. You may look upon me as an enthusiast, as an alarmist, or as an anarchist, but with the sober conviction of

common sense I tell you that the teaching of all history is belied and we must sur-render the belief that like causes produce like effects if men expect that the millions now out of employment and the other millike effects if men expect that the Hons who are working out a hopeless ex-istence of toil year in and year out, the women stitching in pover'y, hunger and dirt, the men bearing their hopeless bur-dens of debt, all directly traceable to bad

A Day of Reckoning to Come. In concluding the Senator said: "A day of reckoning will come unless there is no longer a just God in heaven, and when it does come, woe be unto those who have been among the oppressors of the people. The present struggle is unfortunately too like that which preceded the late civil war. lnasmuch as it is sectional. The creditor and the manufacturing states of the north and the nanulacturing states of the worth and east—those which have grown inordinately wealthy at the expense of the producing classes of the south and west—are urging this policy with the besotted blindness of Belshazzar. The old slaveholders of the south were not more arrogant or more determined. 'The sordid despotism of wealth,' to use the apt phrase of Justice Brown, is already felt throughout the land."

"You have already been told in glowing language by the eloquent Senator from Missouri that the conflict is 'irrepressible,' and it is easy to see from the temper and feeling of the equally distinguished Senator from Colorado and other western Senators that the struggle for the new emancipation has begun. And the new Mason and Dixon's line, which is drawn not by the surveyor but by the denial of the natural and inalienable right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness to a large majority of citizens, will sooner or later bring together in the bonds of union the toiling and now downtrodden masses of the cities and the equally desperate masses of the country; agrarianism and communism will join hands. There are millions now on the march, and they tramp, tramp, tramp the side-walks hunting work and tramp the high-ways begging bread. Unless relief comes they will some day take a notion to tramp to Washington with rifles in their hands to regain the liberties which have been stolen from them, or which the representatives have sold, and the hitherto conservatives have sold, and the intherto conserva-tive force of the republic—the well-to-do agricultural class—will lift no hand to stay the march, but join it. God grant that our country may be spared the enactment of such scenes as were witnessed in Paris in 1789. But the fair flower of liberty planted by Jefferson and the immortal Declaration of the Fourth of July, 1776, watered by the blood of our revolutionary sires under Washington, cannot be uprooted or smothered by the noxious weeds of monopoly and class privilege without bloodshed."

The Public Schools. In The Star's Almanac for 1896, on page 17, will be found interesting information concerning the public schools of the District. At all news stands and at The

Express Agent Arrested on Suspicion. Pinkerton detectives have arrested Express Agent Krout of Colorado Springs on the charge of being implicated in the theft of \$30,000 from the Wells-Fargo Express Company several months ago. His father, company several months ago. His lather, who recently came to Colorado Springs from Illinois, was also arrested on a train at Walsenburg, Col., as he was leaving the state, and about \$4,600 was found sewed up in his clothing.

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Virginia Republican Convention. The Virginia republican state committee have agreed upon April 23 next as the time for holding the state republican convention



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The quarterly meeting of the Teachers' Association of this county will be held at this place Friday, 14th of February next. The program of exercises for the occasion, which promises to be of more than ordirary interest, will be as follows: Music, conducted by Prof. Vernon Watkins; Installation of officers elected at the last meeting; inaugural address by Prof. Harlow, president-elect; music; a paper on "The Dignity of Teaching," by Rev. Cephas Shelburne, professor in Winechal Female Seminary; music; "Free Text Books," general discussion led by Mr. E. L. Amiss of Gaithersburg; music. At the conclusion of the exercises the teachers will be paid their salaries for the past term. The meetings of this association of the public school teachers of the county are increasing in interest from year to year, as is evidenced by the large attendance and the superior character of the exercises.

A large meeting of ladies and gentlemen

interested in the fair and bazaar, to be held at the Opera House the evening of the Elst instant for the benefit of the Rockville base ball club, was held Saturday night at the residence of Mr. L. L. Nicholson. Committees appointed at previous meetings made reports of such a nature as to insure the success of the undertaking. A large number of valuable articles have been contributed by the merchants of Washington, and the merchants and others of this place have not been backward in helping along the affair with substantial aid. Tables for the sale of eatables and refreshments will be presided over by the ladies of the vicinity, and already the contributions promised in this line insure a choice and varied as-sortment. Most of the articles contributed by the merchants will be disposed of by raffle, and embrace suits of clothes, canes, umbrellas, cigars, pieces of furniture, gen-tlemen's furnishing goods and a large number of fancy articles. Among the Washing-ton contributors are M. A. Tappan, Saks & Co., Parker, Bridget & Co., Cline Brothers, Robinson, Chery & Co., Frank Hume, Scott Bros., A. W. Francis, Lansburgh & Bros., Eiseman Bros., F. H. Wilson, Woodward & Lothrop, B. Rich & Sons, W. B. Moses & Sons, F. P. May & Co., A. Gude & Bros., W. D. Clark & Co., Bryan & Co., C. H. Riesenstein. A number of others have signified their intention of sending contributions previous to the day.

The Woman's Cemetery Association will hold a meeting at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, at this place, on the 6th of February, at which important business will be transacted. Plans for the further improvement of the cemetery grounds will be Mr. Richard Day of Adamstown, Fred-

rick county, Md., spent some days last week looking after his real estate in terests in the county. Among the names mentioned for justice of the peace in Poolesville district is that of Mr. David E. Charlton. For the same positions in Rockville district Messrs. Frank Mace, Carey Kingdon and Charles

Jones have been recommended to Gov. Lowndes for appointment. Miss Clara Hall of Poolesville has been spending some time with friends in Wash

Persons living along the line of the Georgetown and Bethesda electric railway are anxious to see the road extended to Reckville, as originally intended, and claim that the road will not pay any large dividends to the stockholders without this extension. They think that while other similar roads are help pushed to veri similar roads are being pushed to various points in the county, that this company cannot afford to stand idle.

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The schatorial question having been setted, it is now expected that the legislature will buckle down to the business of the session, and in this connection the passage of several bills of interest to the people of this ccuntry is anticipated. Among those measures wanted is a law for the permanent improvement of the public roads, one regulating the time of the game season and one giving justices of the peace the power of a police court in the settlement of all cases of petty larceny, simple assault and other minor infractions of the law. These cases now go before the cirlaw. These cases now go before the circuit court, entailing a large expense to the taxpayers. As it is now, scarcely a chicken is stolen that does not cost the county enough to stock a large farm with these fowls and leave a balance for sheep and hogs.

A Christian Culture Society is about to

be organized at this place, and an initial meeting for that purpose was held on Tussday night at the residence of Rev. L. R. Milbourne of the Baptist Church. Owing to the unavoidable absence of the pastor. the meeting was adjourned to a future

RIVERDALE.

The Monday night dance given at the academy was well attended and much enloved. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Van Norsdall, Prof. and Mrs. Wagrer, Mrs. Baxter, Miss Hubble of College Park, Miss Downing of Branchville, Misses Stephen, Fowler, Baxter, Lynch, McGee and Wein of Riverdale, and Messrs. Gray, Thomas, Fowler, Stuart, Dorr, McDevitt, Hurley, Jones, Browning and Stephen. One of the social events of the season will

be the leap year hop, which will be given at the academy on Friday night, under the auspices of Profs. Corning and Wagner.



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There is to be a Sunday school opened at

the academy next Sunday, under the lead-ership of Mr. Preston, who is very much interested in the welfare of children. An enjoyable progressive cuchre party was given last Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Weldon of Washington. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Van Norsdall, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner, Dr. and Mrs. Mc. Millan, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn, Mr. Gilbert Van Norsdayy, Miss Bennett and Mrs. Wern. A tempting repast was served after

the playing.
Mrs. Annie White of Washington has commeaced the erection of a handsome dwelling on the property she has purchased east of the station.

Mr. A. W. Ogden has been confined to his home by sickness for several days.

HERNDON.

A communication from Dr. Mason of the Congregational Church was read after the close of the morning service Sunday, in which he gave notice of his intention to close his labors with the church the last day of June next. Dr. Mason has been over this church something more than nine years, and is much beloved by his people and held in great reverence by the entire community.

There are branches of six different building and loan associations in this town, vizi Mercantile Building and Loan Association, United Banking-and Building Company of Richmond, American Home Building and Loan Association of Richmond, Interna-Loan Association of Richmond, Interna-tional Building and Loan Association of Washington, United States Building and Loan Association of Washington, and Washington National of Washington. The amount of stock taken up to the present time is \$37,000 installment and \$500 paid up. Loans have been taken to the amount of something over \$3,000, which has been invested in building, and it is expected that additional loans will soon be taken for building purposes.

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